

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF EXAMINER:  
TODD ALDRIDGE RUSSELL  
APPLICATION NO: Division of 10/283,718 ART UNIT:  
FILED: HEREWITH  
FOR: APPARATUS FOR CLEANING OPHTHALMIC COMPONENTS

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Sir:

Please amend the above-identified application as follows before calculating the filing fee and examining the application.